

A Newsletter from the Pentagon Renovation & Construction Program Office

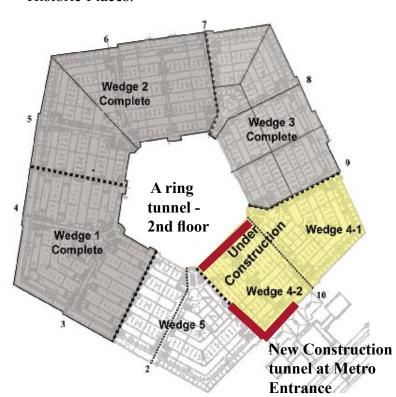
**April 2008** 

### **Center Courtyard Café**



PENREN rebuilt the historic Center Couryard Café into a year-round, all-weather facility, featuring restrooms and an indoor seating capacity of around 60.

- The Center Courtyard Café is now open in a soft opening phase.
- The new café is expanded in size from 1,100 to 4,135 square feet to accommodate restrooms and an indoor seat ing capacity of around 60 for year-round, all-weather food service.
- The café will be open daily, Monday through Friday (except holidays), for breakfast and lunch.
- After 1500 hours, the café will also provide catered functions, including everything from sit-down to stand-up receptions.
- The food provided in the café will be breakfast and lunch items, seasonal favorites, with items from comfort foods to grilled cheese sandwiches, grab-and-go, and catering.
- The Center Courtyard Café is part of the Pentagon's historic landmark designation for the National Register of Historic Places.











### Wedge 3-5



#### **WEDGES 3-5 STATUS**

Wedge 3 – Complete

Wedge 4.1 – Construction; Complete Fall 2008

Wedge 4.2 – Demolition; Complete Fall 2009

Wedge 5 - Core & Shell Design



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### **Pentagon Memorial Project**



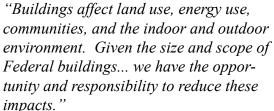
PENREN manages the design and construction effort for the Pentagon Memorial. The Memorial will commemorate the lives of 184 people lost at the Pentagon and onboard American Airlines Flight 77 on September 11, 2001.

- Memorial construction began March 2007. Construction is currently on schedule and will complete late summer 2008.
- There are 103 topcasts on site; 101 are set in place and at various stages of completion.
- Installation of pre-cut granite is in progress. Stone masons are setting granite sections in the topcasts at a rate of 3-4 topcasts per day.
- Stone work is ongoing at the perimeter bench, and will continue until mid- to late July.
- A delivery of 86 paperbark maple trees is expected on April 16. While there will be other trees delivered and placed in landscaped areas of the Gateway, the paperbark maples will be installed in the Park and are considered one of the main features of the Memorial.
- Dedication of the Pentagon Memorial is planned for September 11, 2008.





### Sustainable/Earth Day



--Office of the Federal Environmental Executive



PENREN has achieved LEED certification for the Pentagon Athletic Center, Remote Delivery Facility, Metro Entrance Facility, Wedge 2, and the Pentagon Library and Conference Center.









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